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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Notice of Appeal filed 22 October 2005, thereby extending the date on which the period of response is set to expire from 22 December 2005 to 22 February 2006.

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